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Title of Educational Program	Turkish Studies
Qualification awarded	Bachelor of Turkish Studies
ECTS	The educational program of Turkish Studies comprises 240 ECTS: Core training courses - 180 ECTS (160 compulsory credits; 10 ECTS electives and the Bachelor's thesis or 10 ECTS in the study area). Minor / Elective Courses 60 ECTS.
Goal of Educational Program	The academic educational program Turkish Studies will support further extension and strengthening of Georgia-Turkey friendship, educational-scientific cooperation, and of the centuries-old Georgian-Eastern relations. Based on the mission of the Batumi State University, the emphasis is made on training of specialists who will be able to easily adapt to the changing environment brought about by the time challenges. Accordingly, the program aims to, on the one hand, prepare professionals in Turkish Studies and on the other hand, train specialists of high civic consciousness, with democratic, liberal values who will be able to find jobs in the labor market or continue studies in higher education to the next level.
Learning outcomes (GENERAL AND TRANSFERABLE SKILLS)	<p>Study area competences:</p> <p>Knowledge and understanding:</p> <p>Has a broad knowledge of the Turkish archeology, ethnology, geography, culture, Turkish language, literature, religion, history, tourism in Turkey, the modern Turkish politics and international relations;</p> <p>Has extensive knowledge of specific historical events, problems, is able to analyze them in the context of particular period of cultural and political situation; has ability to perceive and analyze their the time-variation;</p> <p>Has a thorough knowledge of Turkey, including the world's history (prehistoric, ancient, medieval, modern and contemporary, Georgian, Caucasian, the Middle East) through the chronological events;</p> <p>Has formulated vision of historical events and skills of critical analysis of the historical events in the contexts of Turkey' and of the world history;</p> <p>Applying knowledge and skills: can read text in Turkish and English written in simple, grammatical forms and vocabulary, can read, comment on, annotate and use historiographic texts and sources; Has mastered information retrieval tools (bibliographic, folklore, archives, Museum, digital, etc.) and is able to use the information retrieved, as well as to participate in the field (archaeological and ethnographic) expeditions;</p>

	<p>Making judgments: with gathering of written, physical, bibliographic, field data etc. can formulate respective conclusions regarding historiographical issues. Can interpret the text, analyze a literary text, make critical and analytical conclusions.</p> <p>Communication skills Has a command of native and foreign languages (Turkish, English) (oral and written), communication skills and can read and understand historiographic and literary text, historical texts and sources; Is able to use information technologies /internet resources while processing the historical data. Is able to write an average size report and present it to the audience; Has skills of debates and discussion in foreign languages (Turkish, English) on various issues, Is able to hold presentations using internet sources; Can coherently articulate his/her opinion in Turkish and English languages; Can plan and implement small-size research and present it to the specific audience.</p> <p>Learning skills Can organize one's own learning, by means of time management; Has developed new knowledge and skills of making, processing and assimilation, as well as the ability to use special literature; Capable of constantly updating knowledge; Graduates are academically ready for the next level (master's) studies. Has independent learning skills; is able to constantly update the gained knowledge; -Academically, is ready to continue studies at the next level (MA)</p> <p>Values Has knowledge of Turkish history, Turkish language, culture and traditions, respect for the community and is able to establish these values in the community; Is tolerant and respectful to people whose Mother tongue is Turkish or other languages,.</p>
<p>Assessment criteria</p>	<p>Assessment rules: A) Excellent - 91 points or more; B) very good - 81-90 points; C) good - 71-80 points; D) fair - 61-70 points; E) satisfactory - 51-60 points. (FX) fail - 41-50 in this case the students are allowed to retake the exam. (F) Fail - 40 points or less - the student has to retake the course.</p>
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